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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ALASKA**

NATIONAL AUDUBON SOCIETY, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

SCOTT DE LA VEGA, in his official  
capacity as Acting Secretary of the United  
States Department of the Interior, *et al.*,

Defendants,

and

STATE OF ALASKA,

Intervenor-Defendant.

Case No. 3:20-cv-00206-SLG

**DEFENDANTS' UNOPPOSED MOTION TO STAY PROCEEDINGS**

Defendants Scott de la Vega, in his official capacity as Acting Secretary of  
the United States Department of the Interior, *et al.*, by and through undersigned

counsel, hereby move the Court to stay proceedings in this matter.

Defendants request a stay of 60 days, to and including May 10, 2021, to accommodate review of this matter by new officials within the United States Department of the Interior. Not later than the end of the sixty-day period, the parties will endeavor to file a joint status report advising the Court what further proceedings may be necessary, or will file separate reports setting out their proposals, if necessary. A proposed order is filed herewith.

Undersigned counsel have conferred with counsel to the other parties. Plaintiffs have indicated they do not oppose this motion. Intervenor-Defendant State of Alaska has indicated they take no position on the motion.

Respectfully submitted this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2021.

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